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**IN THE SPECIFICATION**

**Please amend the abstract as follows:**

A ~~method of manufacturing~~ a molded product of a synthetic resin, ~~characterized~~ formed by ~~comprising~~ the steps of forming a container and a panel type surface layer member by subjecting a synthetic resin sheet to two-stage thermoforming; and forming an outer shell reinforcing layer on a rear surface of the surface layer member by subjecting a glass fiber-reinforced or non-glass-fiber-reinforced ABS resin or AS resin to injection molding, ~~the method being capable of manufacturing~~ The molded products, such as a container and panels of a synthetic resin, ~~which~~ which have a strength and a rigidity high enough to withstand severe thermal resistance tests, a high quality and light weight, and ~~which~~ are capable of being obtained at a low cost and recycled easily.

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

**Please amend claims 11-17 as follows:**

11. (Amended) A molded article ~~produced by the process of claim 1~~ according to claim 25, wherein ~~said molded article is a container or a panel~~, the synthetic resin sheet is a transparent or translucent acrylic resin sheet ~~colored in such a manner that transparency or translucency can be attained, and~~

wherein the outer reinforcing shell layer comprises a thermoplastic resin, a coloring agent and a filler, and

wherein thermoplastic resin of the outer reinforcing shell layer is mixed with coloring agent and a filler ~~in such a manner so~~ that said thermoplastic resin of the outer reinforcing shell layer ~~can be~~ is colored or patterned ~~like a marbling~~.

12. (Amended) A molded article ~~produced by the process of claim 1~~ according to claim 25, wherein ~~said molded article is a container or a panel, and wherein the synthetic resin sheet is~~ colored acrylic resin sheet.

13. (Amended) A molded article ~~produced by the process of claim 1~~ according to claim 25, wherein ~~said molded article is a container or a panel, and wherein thermoplastic resin of the outer~~ reinforcing shell layer is glass fiber reinforced ~~ABS~~ acrylonitrile-butadiene-styrene resin or glass fiber reinforced ~~AS~~ acrylonitrile-styrene resin or non-reinforced ~~ABS~~ acrylonitrile-butadiene-styrene resin or non-reinforced ~~AS~~ acrylonitrile-styrene resin.

14. (Amended) A molded article ~~produced by the process of claim 1~~ according to claim 25, wherein ~~said molded article is a container or a panel,~~  
wherein ~~the said~~ surface layer ~~member~~ is made of one selected from ~~translucently colored~~ ABS translucent acrylonitrile-butadiene-styrene resin or , translucent AS acrylonitrile-styrene

resin or , ~~transparently colored ABS~~ transparent acrylonitrile-butadiene-styrene resin or , and transparent AS acrylonitrile-styrene resin;

wherein at least the ~~first layer of the surface layer member~~ is made of ~~translucently colored ABS~~ translucent acrylonitrile-butadiene-styrene resin or AS translucent acrylonitrile-styrene resin; and wherein said molded article is patterned like a marble having light depth.

15. (Amended) A molded article ~~produced by the process of claim 1~~ according to claim 25,

~~wherein said molded article is a container or a panel~~, wherein the surface layer member is provided with a ~~skidding~~ skid-preventing means comprising a textured surface layer ~~to have a sharp shape and an improved skidding effect~~ obtained by subjecting said surface layer member to thermoforming twice when said outer reinforcing member shell layer is subjected to an injection molding.

16. (Amended) A molded article ~~produced by the process of claim 1~~ according to claim 25,

~~wherein said molded article is a container or a panel~~, wherein the molded article is composed an outer reinforcing layer member;

wherein said one selected from acrylonitrile-butadiene-styrene resin and acrylonitrile-styrene resin is reinforced with glass fiber in which mean length of the glass fiber is 400 to 1000  $\mu\text{m}$ .

17. (Amended) A molded article ~~produced by the process of claim 1~~ according to claim 25,  
wherein ~~a thickness of said outer reinforcing shell layer is reduced~~, in such a manner that  
said reinforcing layer is formed integrally with a reinforcing rib of increased thickness in relation  
to the thickness of the remainder of the outer reinforcing shell layer ~~to retain a strength~~.

**Please add new claim 25 as follows:**

25. (New) A synthetic resin molded article, comprising:  
a surface layer having a front and rear surface; and  
an outer reinforcing shell layer coating one surface of said surface layer;  
wherein said surface layer is produced by subjecting a synthetic resin sheet to two-step  
thermoforming,  
and further wherein said outer reinforcing shell layer is obtained by subjecting one  
selected from acrylonitrile-butadiene-styrene resin and acrylonitrile-styrene resin to injection  
molding.